IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

TROY HELWIG.

Plaintiff,

v. CV No. 20-52 JB/CG

CURRY COUNTY DETENTION CENTER.

Defendant.

ORDER TO CURE DEFICIENCIES

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Plaintiff Troy Helwig's *Letter Regarding Civil Rights Violations*, (Doc. 1). In his letter, Mr. Helwig contends his conditions of confinement are unconstitutional under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The Court determines the filing is deficient, for two reasons. First, the allegations are not sworn and do not appear on the proper § 1983 form. Second, Mr. Helwig failed to prepay the \$400 filing fee or, alternatively, file a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Mr. Helwig must cure these deficiencies within thirty (30) days of entry of this Order. All papers Mr. Helwig files must include the case number (20-cv-52 JB/CG). Failure to timely address the filing fee <u>and</u> refile the claims on the proper § 1983 form will result in dismissal of this action without further notice.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that within thirty (30) days of entry of this Order, Mr. Helwig shall: (1) refile his claims on the proper § 1983 form; and (2) either prepay the \$400 filing fee or, alternatively, file a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk's Office shall send Mr. Helwig a form § 1983 complaint and a form motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

THE HONORABLE CARMEN E. GARZA
CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE